

Torrance Theatre

FRIDAY and SATURDAY, AUGUST 16-17
Lois Wilson and H. B. Warner in
"The Gamblers"

A Warner Bros. Vitaphone picture—100% Talking

SUNDAY and MONDAY, AUGUST 18-19
Dolores Costello
"Madonna of Avenue A"

A Warner Bros. Vitaphone Picture

TUESDAY, AUGUST 20
Karl Dane and Geo. K. Arthur in
"China Bound"

Movietone Act Fox Movietone News
China Night for the Ladies

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, AUGUST 21-22
Richard Barthelmess in
"The Drag"
All-Talking

FOX REDONDO

BUY SCRIP — SAVE MONEY

FRIDAY and SATURDAY—AUG. 16 and 17
GRETA GARBO'S MOST FIERY ROMANCE
—Not Recommended for Children
"THE SINGLE STANDARD"

With NILS ASTHER
Also George Lamoreaux ALL TALKING Comedy
"Her New Chauffeur"
FOX MOVIE TONE NEWS

SUNDAY ONLY — AUGUST 18
CONRAD NAGEL in
"KID GLOVES"

(Sound and Dialogue) with Patsy Ruth Miller
Also FOX MOVIE TONE NEWS
Gus Edwards' Song Revue — All Talking and Singing Act
Mack Sennett All-Talking Comedy, "GIRL CRAZY"

MONDAY and TUESDAY — AUG. 19-20
Paramount's ALL-TALKING MUSICAL COMEDY Sensation
"COCOANUTS"

Also—All sound Cartoon, "Sidewalks of New York"
FOX NEWS

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY—AUG. 21-22
A Powerful All-Talking Drama of Mother Love!
Adapted from the Stage Success
"MADAME X"

with Ruth Chatterton, Lewis Stone, Raymond Hackett
Also Synchronized Fable, "STAGE STRUCK"
FOX MOVIE TONE NEWS
NOW—GREATER MOVIE TONE SEASON

FOX HERMOSA

FRIDAY, AUGUST 16
ALL NATURAL COLOR, ALL SINGING, ALL DANCING
ALL TALKING SPECTACLE!!
"ON WITH THE SHOW"

with ALL-STAR Cast
Also FOX NEWS

SATURDAY ONLY—AUGUST 17
On the Stage
THE MCKENZIE PLAYERS Present
"THE HOTTENOT"
AND ON THE SCREEN
Lewia Stone in "WONDER OF WOMEN" (Sound and Dialogue)
with Peggy Wood
Also Novelty, "Your Telephone Address"
Paramount News

SUNDAY and MONDAY — AUG. 18-19
ALL-TALKIE AVIATION DRAMA!!
William Boyd in "THE FLYING FOOL"
with Marie Prevost and Russell Gibson
Also Laurel and Hardy Comedy, "Big Business"
M. G. M. News

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY—AUG. 20-21
Thrilling Drama of Intrigue and Mystery!!
"THE BLACK WATCH"
with VICTOR McLAGLEN and Myrna Loy
Also M. G. M. News

Wild Game Birds To Be Released



At the request of a Florida Chevrolet dealer, interested in the propagation of game in his state, the research department of General Motors instructed the San Francisco office of Chevrolet Motor Company to dispatch a scout car to the California State Game Farm for information. More than ten thousand wild game birds will be released this year throughout the state of California. In this unique bird sanctuary, California is setting the precedent for other states.

It's Jubilee Week In Greater Movie Festival of Southland

The theatres of Torrance and the South Bay district this morning put on gala attire and gave their cities the appearance of Carnival Week, when flags and pennants galore were stretched across the fronts announcing that it is Greater Movie Festival Season. Movietone is celebrating, and why not? Just twenty-four years ago the first nickelodeon theatre was opened and the moving picture divorced itself from the Music Hall and started

the producers have been more than ambitious in their production programs. The Torrance Theatre and the Fox West Coast Theatre, invite you to come, see, hear, and enjoy the best pictures that the market affords throughout the season of 1929-30, make yourself a part of this great celebration. The pictures have been selected with loving care. The theatre made just as comfortable as possible, please.

PROCLAMATION

It is with unusual interest and enthusiasm that we call upon the people of the South Bay District to join in celebrating GREATER MOVIE TONE SEASON for 1929-30. While this has been an annual institution established some years ago for the purpose of bringing out better and greater Motion Pictures, the 1929 GREATER MOVIE TONE SEASON commands an added interest because of that remarkable, new, notable, scientific and artistic development—the science of talking and sound pictures, which has been definitely established during the past few months.

"Therefore, we wish to commend our local theatres for this progressive enterprise and urge the citizens of the South Bay District to lend their co-operation in the observance of this event."

(Signed)

JOHN DENNIS,
Mayor of Torrance.
MAY B. HOPKINS,
Mayor of Redondo Beach.
A. R. HOLSTON,
Mayor of Hermosa Beach.
GEORGE E. DELAVAN, JR.,
Mayor of Manhattan Beach.

upon a career of its own. The Greater Movie Tone Season celebration is particularly significant this year in that it also marks the end of the first year of the talkies, a most successful year. The passing year of 1929 has seen the greatest activity in theatre construction, theatre buying, theatre improvements, and greater motion picture production. And so the public has been invited to participate in a great fête, a theatre attendance fête, during the month of August. The pictures have been selected from the new products of all the big producers, and this year

Lovely Dolores Costello Seen In Roaring East Side Speakeasy In "Madonna of Avenue A"

A large store-room on New York's notorious Avenue A—a long bar running down one side of the room, with sleek bartenders drawing greenish beer—foaming beer—the balance of the floor crowded with tables, accommodating a motley throng of merry-makers from the East Side—white-aproned waiters hurriedly moving thirty patrons—a dancing orchestra, and a pair of scantily clad corymbes dancing for the amusement of the paying guests—the intermittent clang of a great cash register behind the bar—clouds of cigarette smoke, and the laughing roar of carefree youngsters—a wide-open "speakeasy" in full operation.

This forms the setting for much of the action in "Madonna of Avenue A," the Warner Brothers production which comes Sunday and Monday, August 18 and 19 to the Torrance Theatre, which stars Dolores Costello, and tells an absorbing story of the strange lives of a mother and daughter. The dramatic story of the rough-neck sailor lover, who makes the mother fear for her daughter's safety—the bitter suffering of both

LOMITA NEWS

Boys of 12 or over, who wish to join the Scouts are urged to see Scoutmaster T. C. Erickson, 1101 Cypress street. There's room for 8 more in the present troop, and of course if the demands are strong enough, another troop might be organized.

Dick Eyster and Wilbur Heape, aides, to Assistant Field Executive Ellis P. Moore, were home over the week-end from Camp Arthur Latta. They will spend three weeks more at the camp.

Which reminds us that Scoutmaster Erickson says that any Scout who wishes to attend Camp may, and if there are six who signify their intention to go, transportation will be provided. Tuesday is the day they leave for Camp Arthur Latta.

Calvin Krinkley of Los Angeles, who is spending the summer with his aunt, Mrs. T. C. Erickson, is passing the 2nd class test a week. A noteworthy achievement, according to scout authorities.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Chase of Flower street, spent the week-end at their cabin in Trabuco canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Lanning and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Kustrop and family enjoyed a swim at Brighton Beach, Sunday.

C. H. Meers was home on a week's vacation from his work in the Kettleman Hills district. Carol Naulty, taken ill while camping at Brighton Beach with her mother, is greatly improved. The family returned to their home here.

Alex MacPhail and Hollie Goodrich attended special don'ts at the Odd Fellows lodge at Inglewood, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Martin of Beacon street entertained Prof. and Mrs. Frederick Bullock of San Pedro at dinner and bridge, Saturday.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION
Notice is hereby given that a special municipal election will be held in the City of Torrance on the 10th day of September, 1929, for the annexation of certain uninhabited territory, described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of Lot 140 of Tract No. 15, recorded in Book 12, Page 149 of Maps, Records of Los Angeles County, said points being also a point in the boundary of the City of Torrance as said boundary existed July 1, 1929; thence along the said boundary line of the City of Torrance 287.22 feet; thence east 312.17 feet; thence North 1 minute East 637.50 feet to the north line of said Lot 140, said point being also a point in the boundary line of the City of Torrance as said boundary existed July 1, 1929; thence westerly along the said boundary line of the City of Torrance to the point of beginning.

There will be one voting precinct for the purpose of holding said election, consisting of a consolidation of the regular election precincts established for holding state or county elections, as follows: Consolidated voting precinct "A", comprising state and county precinct numbers one to ten inclusive, and the polling place thereof shall be at the Torrance Fire House, South side of Cravens avenue between Marcellina avenue and El Prado. The election officers to be duly consolidated precinct "A" shall be as follows:

Mrs. Laura G. Anderson, Inspector.
Luther A. Hyde, Judge.
Mrs. Helena J. Miller, Clerk.
Mrs. Clementia Watson, Clerk.
The polls will be open between the hours of 9 A. M. and 7 P. M.
A. H. BARTLETT,
City Clerk of the City of Torrance, Aug. 15-22-29

Lift Your Hats, Boys, But Not The Mayor's!

Who took the Mayor's hat? Some city officials have trouble in keeping their heads, but John's trouble seems to be in keeping his hat. No sooner had his honor returned from the North wearing his new fall "vacationing" regalia than some caller at the Chamber of Commerce swaps headgear with him. John says he has no objection to John's snatching their respect for the Mayor by lifting their hats, but he does kick when they lift his hat, especially when they add further insult by leaving a worn out lid piece in exchange for a new model bought especially to advertise Torrance property to officials who visit in the old home town in Oregon. However, John says if the guilty party will return the borrowed head-piece, no questions will be asked.

Three Persons Seriously Hurt In Car Crash

Mr. and Mrs. James King of Redondo and Mr. and Mrs. George King of La Canada were injured Tuesday of last week when their car crashed with another in Wilmington.

They were brought to the Jared Sidney Torrance Memorial Hospital for treatment. Mr. James King suffered cuts about the head, legs and arms, and Mrs. King a fractured arm. Mrs. George King sustained a fractured spine and a deep scalp wound about 12 inches long. She was removed to a Los Angeles hospital the next day.

Mr. and Mrs. Danford, with Dallas and Betty Danford left this week for their vacation. They will drive to San Francisco and spend a part of their vacation at Big Basin.

Mrs. Frese Returns Likes Torrance Best

Mrs. C. Frese, who resided some time ago at 1743 Gramercy, has returned to Torrance after an absence of several months, and is now at 881 1/2 Sartori.

Mrs. Frese sold her property here and went to Missouri, but returned to California and settled at Orange. However, she found that after all, Torrance had the greater appeal, so she disposed of her Orange property and came here. Like many others, who have left the city only to return, she can say "East, West, Torrance is best."

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RIPE OLIVES Elsinore Extra Large No. 1 Can 18c	SLICED BEETS Lady Alice No. 2 Can Reg. 15c. 12c
FLOUR SACKS Laundered—White Stock Lasts, 3 for 25c	MAZOLA OIL Quart Cans Reg. 51c. 45c
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WAX PAPER 36-ft. Roll, 5c 9c	NAPKINS Crepe Paper Pkg. of 50 10c
LUNCHEON SETS Table Cloth, Napkins and Plates for 5 10c	SWEET RELISH Libby Brand 9-oz. Jar 16c
SALAD WAFERS Bishop's Brand Package 20c	PICKLES Palmdale Dill Pickles No. 2 1/2 Can 23c

Coca-Cola Carton of 12 50c
36c DEPOSIT FOR BOTTLES

Jap Rose Glycerine Soap Fine for Shampoo. 3 Cakes 25c

Fruits and Vegetables

- PEACHES—Fancy Local Elbertas, 7 lbs. for 25c
 - SEEDLESS GRAPES—Thompsons, 9 lbs. for 25c
 - BURBANK POTATOES—Fancy Stockton, 6 lbs. for 25c
 - TOMATOES—Fancy home-grown, 4 lbs. for 15c
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